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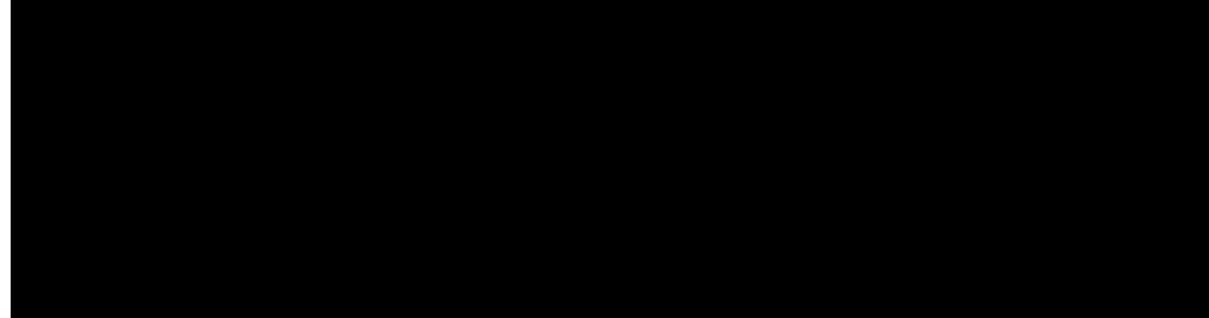
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1. A requisition for supplies was offered to several Hong Kong brokers by L.B. DJENG (CHENG Liang-pin) (鄭良彬), who has offices at 112 Windsor House, Hong Kong. DJENG, ex-multimillionaire, is the chairman of the board of the Mingshao Steamship Company, Hong Kong, and general manager of the China Steamship Company, Hong Kong. He was a former close friend of WANG Ching-wei during the Japanese occupation and still has good Japanese connections. Although it is not known exactly whom DJENG represents, he has done some spot purchasing for the Chinese Communists in the past.

2. The requisition included the following items:

a. Yellow brass plate:

Composition - 65% copper, 35% zinc; Temper - $\frac{1}{2}$ hard; Size - $4' \times 4'$, $4' \times 8'$, $3' \times 6'$.

Item 1.	7 tons	1/32"	Item 9.	3 tons	7/16"
2.	35 tons	1/16"	10.	5 tons	$\frac{1}{2}$ "
3.	25 tons	3/32"	11.	5 tons	11G
4.	35 tons	1/8"	12.	3 tons	12G
5.	7 $\frac{1}{2}$ tons	3/16"	13.	2 tons	15G
6.	15 tons	$\frac{1}{4}$ "	14.	15 tons	18G
7.	7 $\frac{1}{2}$ tons	5/16"	15.	5 tons	19G
8.	10 tons	3/8"			

Same composition, Temper - hard, Size - same.

16.	7 $\frac{1}{2}$ tons	1/16"	18.	8 tons	1/8"
17.	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ tons	3/32"	19.	2 tons	$\frac{1}{4}$ "

b. Brass sheets:

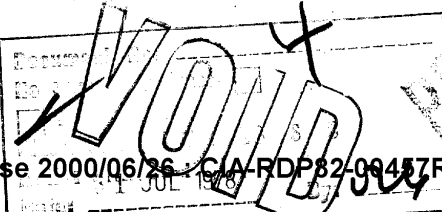
composition - 70% copper, 30% zinc; Temper - $\frac{1}{2}$ hard; Sizes - $24" \times 48"$, $26" \times 52"$, $3' \times 6'$.

Item 20.	1 $\frac{1}{2}$ tons	36G	22.	2 tons	32G
21.	2 $\frac{1}{4}$ tons	34G	23.	5 tons	31G

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Item 24.	5 tons	30G	29.	10 tons	25G
25.	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ tons	29G	30.	10 tons	24G
26.	5 tons	28G	31.	10 tons	22G
27.	5 tons	27G	32.	10 tons	21G
28.	15 tons	26G	33.	5 tons	20G

Same composition and sizes; Temper - hard.

Item 34.	5 tons	31G	39.	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ tons	25G
35.	5 tons	30G	40.	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ tons	24G
36.	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ tons	29G	41.	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ tons	22G
37.	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ tons	28G	42.	5 tons	21G
38.	5 tons	26G	43.	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ tons	20G

c. Yellow brass tube:

Composition - 65% copper, 35% zinc; Satisfactory for 180 bend; Size - 16' x 18' length.

44.	1 ton	$\frac{1}{4}$ " x 21 BWG	58.	5 tons	1" x 14 BWG
45.	1 ton	$\frac{1}{4}$ " x 20 BWG	59.	3 tons	1- $\frac{1}{8}$ " x 15 BWG
46.	$\frac{1}{2}$ ton	5/16" x 21 BWG	60.	2 tons	BWG
47.	$\frac{1}{2}$ ton	5/16" x 20 BWG	61.	3 tons	1 $\frac{1}{4}$ " x 15 BWG
48.	3 tons	3/8" x 20 BWG	62.	2 tons	1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 15 BWG
49.	2 tons	3/8" x 19 BWG	63.	2 tons	1-3/8" x 14 BWG
50.	2 tons	6/16" x 19 BWG	64.	6 tons	1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 13 BWG
51.	3 tons	$\frac{1}{2}$ " x 19 BWG	65.	4 tons	1-3/4" x 13 BWG
52.	2 tons	$\frac{1}{2}$ " x 18 BWG	66.	8 tons	2" x 12 BWG
53.	4 tons	5/8" x 17 BWG	67.	2 tons	2 $\frac{1}{4}$ " x 12 BWG
54.	1 ton	3/4" x 18 BWG	68.	4 tons	2 $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 12 BWG
55.	8 tons	3/4" x 16 BWG	69.	2 tons	2-3/4" x 11 BWG
56.	2 tons	7/8" x 16 BWG	70.	4 tons	3" x 10 BWG
57.	8 tons	1" x 16 BWG			

d. Zinc sheet:

Purity - Zn 98.6%, FeO .02% maximum; Size - 3' x 8'; Thickness - Zinc gauge 2 to 10.

Quantity: Sizes 2,3,7,8,9,10 gauge - 50 metric tons each.
 4,5,6 gauge - 80 metric tons each.

e. Copper ingots: 99.9% - 4,300 metric tons.

f. Lead ingots: 99.9% - 1,566 metric tons.
 99.99% - 300 metric tons.

g. Lead sheet: 99.99%; Size - 30" x 7'

2 lb/sq.ft.	5 tons
4 lb/sq.ft.	30 tons
6 lb/sq.ft.	15 tons
8 lb/sq.ft.	50 tons
12 lb/sq.ft.	15 tons
16 lb/sq.ft.	15 tons

h. Zinc ingots: 99.9% - 1,000 metric tons.

i. Aluminum ingots: 99.5% - 510 metric tons.

j. Rolled nickel anode: W. Cannin Co., Birmingham

End use - Electroplating

Purity - 99.9%

Characteristics - of correct hardness and free from carbon.

Size: For cast - Cat. No. 125-18" x 12" x 3/8" or 12" x 6" x 3/8" - 30 tons.

For rolled - Cat. No. 126-18" x 12" x $\frac{1}{4}$ " or 12" x 6" x $\frac{1}{4}$ " - 30 tons.